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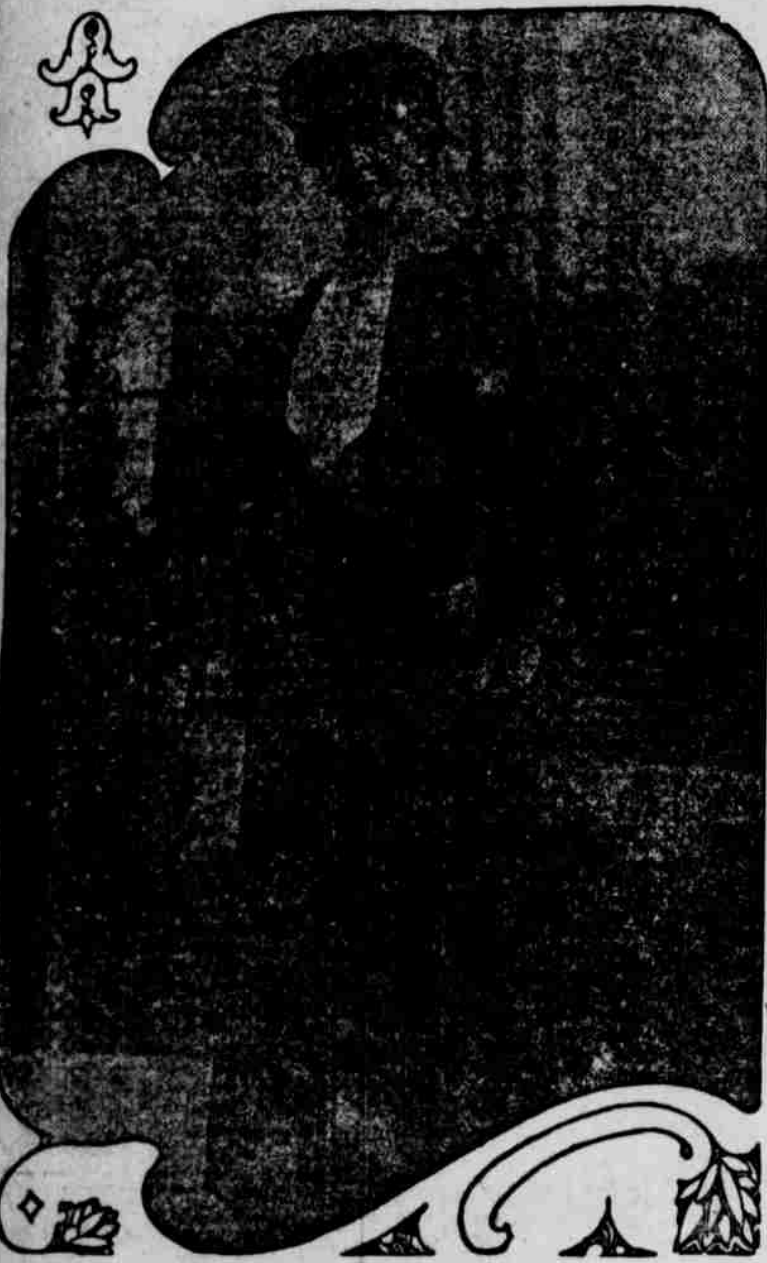
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## MABEL CHARMS IN NEW REALM

Mary Pickford Here Today in  
Story of Pathos—Films for  
the Week.

Mabel Normand, as the artful dodger of millions, at the Alcazar Sunday, was refreshing. The picture was one of Chattanooga's first glimpses of Mabel in her more pretentious roles, movie fans half expecting her to appear somewhere in lights to dive off a high foot bluff or skyscraper with a Charlie Chaplin or Fatty Arbuckle close at her heels. But for one brief glimpse, which the producers couldn't resist, Mabel kept fully attired.

The feature of "Dodging a Million," aside from the personality of the little star, was the extremely unique plot which happily differed from everything that has so far been indulged in along the broad line. Most film stories are now running around in circles; changes in plots being a mere matter of detail and the interpretation of actors, the inevitable complications and sequence being a safe bet.

From the first flicker of Mabel in a modiste shop to her final "clinch" finish, however, the details of "Dodging a Million" were refreshingly new and continually surprising. Mabel was a bit rakish in her handsome gowns, but the spirit went well with the story, and the display of gowns alone should have brought joy to any woman's heart. Miss Normand, however, did well as an individual star and entirely unassisted by ples or slap sticks. It is unfortunate that the film could not have had more than one day's run here.

With a dual role and a story of touching pathos, Mary Pickford comes to the Alcazar today in "Stella Maris." The story is much after the order of "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm." It is typically a Pickford play and offers several exceptional opportunities for emotional acting.

This is followed Wednesday by Wallace Field in "Rimrock Jones," a brim-ning-over western tale with a regular hero and love as the climax and the goal.

The week closes Friday and Saturday with William Farnum in "The Heart of a Lion," a new Fox photoplay declared to be of exceptional merit.

At the Fine Arts.  
Sunday and today Neil Shuman and Alfred Whitman have been holding away at the Fine Arts in "The Wild Strain," a story of a regular American girl who rebelled against family authority and gave way to a reckless spirit inherited from a bandit ancestor. It is a story of thrills.

Tuesday brings a Fox play, "A Heart's Revenge," with Sonia Markova as the star, and much mystery, villainy and entanglement of plot.

Wednesday and Thursday Alice Brady will be seen in "Her Silent Sacrifice," which gives Miss Brady a wide range and a strong supporting cast.

Friday and Saturday "Beauty and the Rogue" tarries at the Fine Arts, with Mary Miles Minter most conspicuously on the screen. It is a story that deals with the life of criminals and is said to have a home thrust that is gripping.

### AT THE RIALTO

Bert Leslie and company hold the headline honors the first half of this week at the Rialto. Bert Leslie, one of vaudeville's best known stars, with his company presents "Hogan in Mexico." He is to the English language what routine is to vaudeville—synopsis—a sort of George Ade—and much of the slang which forms such an important part of the American language was originated by Leslie. The added attraction of the first half of the week is the Joseph De Kos company, billed as "human jugglers." Joseph De Kos, in selecting the personnel of his human jugglers, has succeeded in assembling five experts in this line of endeavor. Seldom has a company of hand balancers possessed so much individual merit and a more uniform amount of team work, and

rarely has the sponsor for such a troupe succeeded in fashioning a more interesting series of feats than has Mr. De Kos, while everything the little company does has the sharpness of a whip's lash.

Bayonne Whipple and Walter Huston, the headliners the last half of the week, offer their latest surprise, "Shoes." They have the real vaudeville idea of giving the public something different. In their latest offering, "Shoes," they have produced an act which places them in a class by themselves.

The attraction the last half of the week is "the miniature revue," introducing Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle, Mutt and Jeff, Texas Nell and the wonderful baseball game, "Play Ball!" About as human a lot of figures as was ever contrived participate in the miniature revue, manipulated by Lillie Jewell Falkner. In fact, the only thing these figures do not possess which humans do is a brain, and Miss Falkner seems to have plenty of this most remarkable attribute of mechanical ingenuity, but one of the funniest bits of comedy ever conceived for stage purposes.

First on the program the first half of the week is "The Circus and His Pals," a darkey's adventure with a real circus mule. This act is followed by that of Elizabeth Mayne, "Dainty Ditty," by Jean Hayes, "Third on the program is Bert Leslie and company presenting "Hogan in Mexico." Fourth on the bill is Joe Daniels, monologist and imitator. The bill closes with Joseph De Kos troupe, vaudeville's most sensational gymnastic offering—the principal feature of Barnum & Bailey's circus.

First on the bill the last half of the week is John Cutt's musical enter-tainer. This act is followed by that of Archer and Ward, the clever comedy couple. Third on the program is Whipple, Houston & Co. in their comedy offering, "Shoes." Fourth on the bill is Dave Glaser, the character singing comedian, while the bill closes with "The Miniature Revue," a wonderful display of animated automa-tions—stage within a stage.

### WHEELS OF INDUSTRY MUFFLED HERE TODAY

The industry of Chattanooga is muffled today. With even the electric current created in part by steam, those plants which operated on previous "heatless" Mondays have been forced to abandon their work. In some few instances, such as woodworking shops, where the men may work without heat, the wheels are continuing to turn. For the most part, however, the day is completely a holiday. The downtown business section is deserted except for the idle crowds that are patronizing picture shows and vaudeville theatres. Heatless day is in force.

### WILL SCORE VICE IN CHARGE TO JURY

When the grand jury is selected and sworn in Tuesday they will listen to one of the strongest charges, regarding the vice conditions throughout Hamilton county ever delivered. Judge McReynolds will deal at length on conditions regarding immoral women in an effort to have immorality broken up in Hamilton county. Other forms of lawlessness, throughout Hamilton county and Chattanooga, will also be touched upon. The grand jury will be selected immediately upon the convening of court. Two other juries will also be selected, after which court will meet and take up the jail cases first. It is expected that a great deal of trouble will be found in securing jurors and on this account a larger number than ever have been summoned. Judge McReynolds says that he will excuse no man without an unusually good excuse. He stated that the business men in Chattanooga, on the count of the war times, should be willing to do their bit towards jury service and he said he would, as far as possible, have a business man's jury as this was the time of the year that farmers could not well afford to leave their farms.

### JUNE HAS NOTHING ON JANUARY FOR BRIDES

The month of January, 1918, will, like about Ben Adhem's name, lead all the rest of months in point of marriage licenses. During the month just closing 106 marriage licenses were granted. A large number of these licenses were issued to soldiers, January, 1918, almost doubled January, 1917, only fifty-six licenses being issued for the latter month. The record for the past month will go down as one of the largest, if not the largest, in the history of the county clerk's office.

### PROF. KEEFER TO TALK ON GARDEN WORK

Prof. C. A. Keffer, director of the extension division of the University of Tennessee, will be present and deliver an address Monday night at a mass meeting at the chamber of commerce. The meeting has been called by the central garden committee, composed of representatives from the Council on National Defense, the Chattanooga society, National League for Women's Service, and the city and county agricultural and home economics agents. The meeting has been called for the purpose of mapping out the city and suburban garden program for the year 1918.

Besides the principal address, to be delivered by Prof. Keffer, a number of short talks will be made. Every Chattanooga who expects to plant a garden this spring is expected to be present at this gathering.

### AGRICULTURAL SHORT COURSE STARTS TUESDAY

The Hamilton county "short course" in agriculture, now in progress in the county, will be given at the following places this week:  
Tuesday—Patten's Chapel.  
Wednesday—Fairmount.  
Thursday—Miller's Grove.  
Friday—Shady Grove.  
On account of the meeting Monday night at the chamber of commerce, at which time Prof. C. A. Keffer will speak, there will be no demonstration meeting in the county on that day.

Remind Your Soldier Boys  
in camp that you are thinking of them with love and sympathy by writing them some smiley books today. —(Adv.)

## WOMAN RELEASED; HUSBAND FINED

Judge Recommends Plunge in  
Ice Tennessee—Scores  
Couple for Immorality.

Before a crowd of interested spectators that filled the city courtroom and the space around the judge's bench, Mrs. S. J. Maner and her husband, who fell into the hands of the military police Saturday night, faced his honor, Martin A. Fleming, for trial Monday morning on charges of vagrancy and loitering.

Mrs. Maner, as Monteen Stover, was a witness against Leo Frank, Atlanta pencil manufacturer, when he came to trial in that city, on the charge of murdering Mary Phagan.

The proof in the local case against the woman was that she went into a soldier's room at a downtown hotel. She claimed that she had gone after a pitcher of water and the soldier stopped her and she went into his room. It was charged that a porter made an engagement with Mrs. Maner for the meeting, and the khaki-clad man turned out to be a provost guard, with the result that the arrests of both Mr. and Mrs. Maner followed. The husband was in a room to himself and claimed to Judge Fleming that he was suffering with chills and fever.

The judge told Maner that he ought to have given a bath in the river, as cold as the stream was, and proceeded to give the couple a lecture that came straight from the shoulder. Mrs. Maner was discharged on the condition that she leave town, and her husband was fined \$50 and costs, which he paid. Attorney Carl Abernathy appeared as counsel for the Maners, and, following their arrest Saturday night, put up \$100 collateral for their appearance in court.

Mrs. Maner, an attractive young woman, it was brought out, pawned her necklace and ring for the sum of \$75 in order to get money for the railroad fare of a theatrical company directed by her husband and abandoned. The company has been rehearsing here and was to open an engagement today at Sheffield, Ala. A part of the \$75 was to pay the expenses of the troupe while rehearsing. The company will leave Monday afternoon for Sheffield. Gene Young, the porter who was alleged to have enacted the role of engagement maker, was fined \$50 and costs and held to the grand jury on a charge of procuring women for immoral purposes.

## FOOD VALUE OF CORN- MEAL DEMONSTRATED

Forty-five women were present at the food demonstration held Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the chamber of commerce, under the direction of Miss Maude Guthrie, city home demonstrator, and Miss Gertrude Wright, assistant. This was the second of the Mondays being devoted to the "corn meal drive."

Miss Guthrie gave a talk on "The Nutritive Value of Corn Bread." In comparing corn meal and wheat flour she said corn meal contained more units of energy than wheat flour. She stated that unless corn meal was used in part it may have to be used altogether, as the supply of what was limited.

The demonstration this morning consisted of Indian pudding and brown bread. Indian pudding is made of milk, corn meal, molasses, ginger and salt. The pudding may be baked in a slow oven or fireless cooker. The Boston brown bread is made with corn meal, rye meal, graham flour, molasses, sweet or sour milk, salt and soda.

## H. M. GOULD SUCCEEDS DAVID W. CURTIS

With the retirement of Frank H. Dowler from the office of general agent of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railway, David W. Curtis, his chief clerk, also resigned and accepted a position with the Signal Amusement company. H. M. Gould was transferred from the yards department to the position of chief clerk to the new superintendent, J. W. Tucker. Mr. Gould is one of the most experienced railroad men in the service and his many friends are much gratified with this deserved promotion.

## JUDGE BACHMAN'S COURT OPENS ON FEBRUARY 11

Judge Nathan L. Bachman stated that his court would not open until Monday, Feb. 11, at which time cases assigned for that date will be taken up. Judge Bachman first stated that he would hold no court on Monday on account of it being "heatless" day, but after consulting with a large number of lawyers, decided it would be best to have court on Monday. Judge Bachman stated that he expected a great deal of trouble in securing jurors and said, as far as possible, he would excuse the majority of farmers where they had good excuses.

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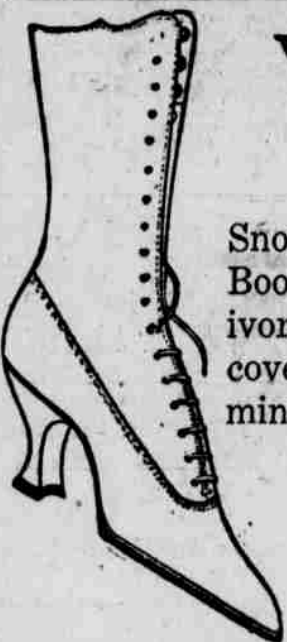
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